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HOW TO HELP THE ENVIRONMENT?

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Environmental problems have become global problems of the modern world. Our planet is in danger!

In modern society, people began to forget that the Earth is our common home. People sometimes do not realize what harm they cause to the nature by their actions and deeds. There are a lot of problems associated with the ecology of our planet.

When we talk about the terrible ecological situation in the world, each of us has to understand that this is the work for everybody.

The cleanliness and good ecology begins with each of us. Unfortunately, this thought comes to most of us too late. But we think that it is not too late to begin to change the situation.

Protection of nature is the mission of our century, the problem that has become social. Again and again we hear about the danger to the environment, but still a lot of us find it unpleasant but inevitable product of civilization, and believe that we will have time to cope with all the difficulties to identify.

Consequences of the lack of attention to the problem could be catastrophic. It is not only about the welfare of mankind and its survival. Especially disturbing is the fact that environmental degradation may be irreversible.

Civilization has a devastating impact on nature and the environment. But to reduce this negative influence means to unite our efforts.

Even if one person thinks about it a bit and changes your habits, it already helps the ecological state of the city, and therefore the entire planet.

Many people think, “How can I save the nature alone and how can I help it?” Everyone thinks so and does nothing. But if you follow a few simple rules, you can really help it.

What can we do to protect nature? The following actions are appeared to be rather simple:

- we can recycle newspapers, bottles and metal cans;
- we mustn't cut down trees;
- we have to plant more trees and plants;
- not to throw away trash that can be sent for recycling;
- to feed birds in winter;
- to protect wildlife, plants and trees and keep all water clean;
- not to use aerosol sprays;
- not to use chemicals in the garden;
- to turn off the light when you leave the room and save resources, such as water and gas;
- not to cut wild flowers;
- try to avoid buying plastic bottles etc., as they are hard to recycle;

People affect on the natural environment of their habitat not only consuming its resources, but also by changing the environment, adapting it to meet their practical and economic problems. In view of this human activity has a significant impact on the environment, exposing its changes, which then influence the man himself.

How to save the environment? Together we can find a solution:

1. Accept the laws toughening the control over the environment.
2. Increase funds allocated to environmental protection.
3. Refuse the application industry "dirty" technologies.
4. Tougher penalties for violations of environmental laws.
5. Ecological education of the population etc.

All of us, regardless of age, can help our planet. Each of us is responsible for the huge planet called Earth.

I think people must take care of our Motherland. Future is in our hands!